

House Bill 5009 - Sale of Cellular Phones and Pagers to Minors

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| Topic: | Sale of Cellular Phones and Pagers to Minors |
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| Co-Sponsors: | Representatives Lemmons, III and Sheltrown |
| Committee: | House Commerce |
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The bill would create a new act to prohibit sale of a cellular telephone or pager to a minor without written consent of the minor's parent or guardian. The consent is required to be in writing and is required to be notarized if it is not signed in the presence of the seller. The prohibition would not apply to an emancipated minor. A violation is defined as a state civil infraction with a civil fine of not more than \$500.